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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

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Dear Sir/Madam:

PROPOSED AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO MARCH 7, 2007 OFFICE ACTION

This Proposed Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) on March 7, 2007. A response to the March 7, 2007 Office Action is due on June 7, 2007. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Claim Amendment Fee Calculation

| | Claims remaining after amendment | | Highest No. Previously Paid | Present Extra | Rate (Small Entity) | Additional Fee |
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| Total | 10 | Minus | 20 | 0 | X \$25.00 | \$0.00 |
| Ind. | 2 | Minus | 2 | 0 | X \$100.00 | \$0.00 |

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Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 15 of this paper.